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This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

**Listing of Claims:**

Claims 1-38(canceled).

39(currently amended). A polypeptide immunogen capable when conjugated to a carrier of inducing antibodies in an immunized subject, which antibodies recognize epitopes of angiotensin I, angiotensin II and/or angiotensinogen, said immunogen comprising an angiotensin derivative ~~selected from the group consisting of~~ which is:

~~(A)-Gly-Cys (SEQ ID NO: 3);~~  
~~(A)-Cys (SEQ ID NO: 5);~~  
~~(A)-Tyr (SEQ ID NO: 6);~~  
~~N-acetyl-Cys-(A) (SEQ ID NO: 8);~~  
~~Tyr-(A) (SEQ ID NO: 7);~~  
N-acetyl-Cys-Gly-(A) (SEQ ID NO: 29);  
~~Cys-(A) (SEQ ID NO: 8); and~~  
~~(A)-N-acetyl-Cys (SEQ ID NO: 31)~~  
where A is angiotensin I (SEQ ID NO: 1).

40(original). An immunogen as claimed in claim 39 comprising said angiotensin derivative coupled to m-maleimidobenzoyl-N-hydroxysulphosuccinimide ester.

Claims 41-44(canceled).